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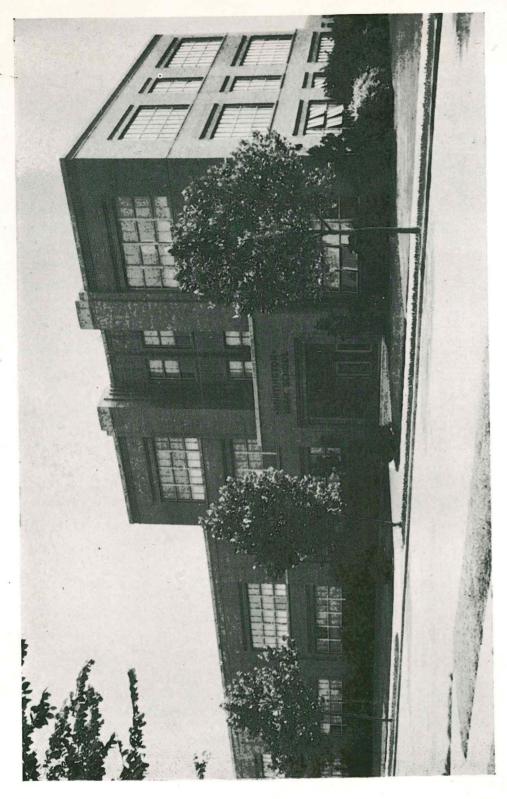
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Foreword

Through the media of words and pictures, we have attempted to recapture some of the pleasant experiences we have had at Huntington High School.

As you peruse these pages in future years, may you relive these experiences, re-new acquaintances with some former class-mates whom you have lost sight of, and enjoy many happy hours.



Huntingtonian Staff

Remembered among the most pleasant and interesting experiences of our school days will be that of assembling the material for the 1948 edition of the Yearbook.

If the book brings to the readers a small degree of the pleasure that it has brought to us, we, the members of the staff, shall feel well repaid for our humble efforts,

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Dedication

The graduating class of 1948 takes pride and pleasure in dedicating this edition of the Huntingtonian to Mr. Thaddeus S. Madden, Coach and teacher of Physical Education and Health at Huntington High School since 1943.

Coach Madden because of his untiring energy, his rigid adherence to the rules of clean sportsmanship, his belief in the potentialities of youth and his exemplary living has endeared himself to the youths and men and women of Newport News.

School Board Members



DR. R. O. NELSON, Superintendent

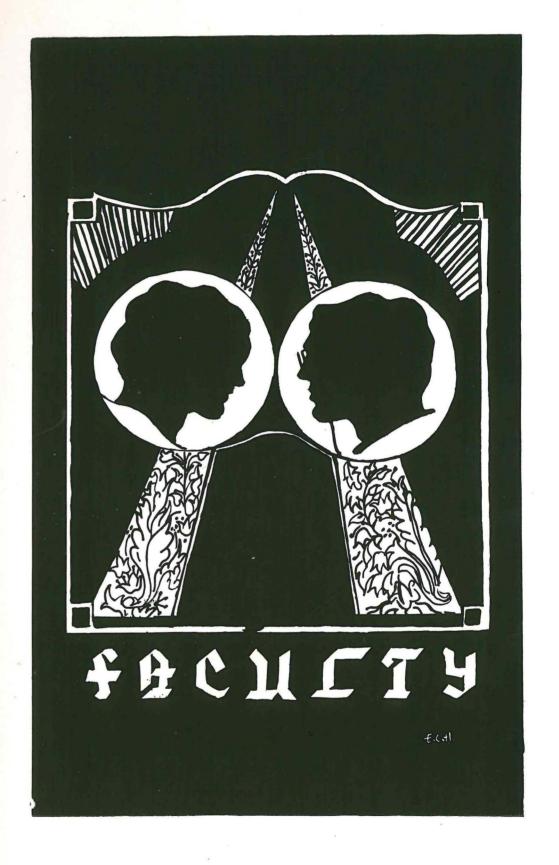
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The Principal's Address

Members of the Class of 1948, an enviable pleasure is mine in extending greetings to you on your graduation day. You and those near and dear to you are to be highly commended for having brought this day forward.

Your high school career is ended at a time characterized by wide-spread and grave uncertainty—those that declare war and draft treaties reflect a serious inability to resolve problems upon which the principles of peace may be established. While the peoples of the world are yet prostrate from the effects of the second World War, the rumor is rampart as to where and when the third world conflict will begin. No effort is made here to alarm, rather to awaken your conscious to such potent realities as are presently operating in the social order however, be not dismayed by the nature of the times. The solution of problems and the surmounting of difficulties have always been the way of progress. The mechanics of physical progress have already reached the point which make possible an undreamed of era of happiness; but alas, we have advanced so little in the art of social living.

What then is the answer? Human nature changes very slowly. It is then your task and mine to find such social inventions as will make a better life possible. The vitality and strength of this democracy are dependent upon the thoughts and actions of its youth.

Your paths will vary in your efforts to find your place in the world. Some will go to college to further study while others will remain or seek their livelihood in some other community. Whatever your goals may be, remember that your success will be very largely a by-product of your own efforts. Analyze yourselves that you may discover your strengths and weaknesses and there-by enhance your possibility for success.

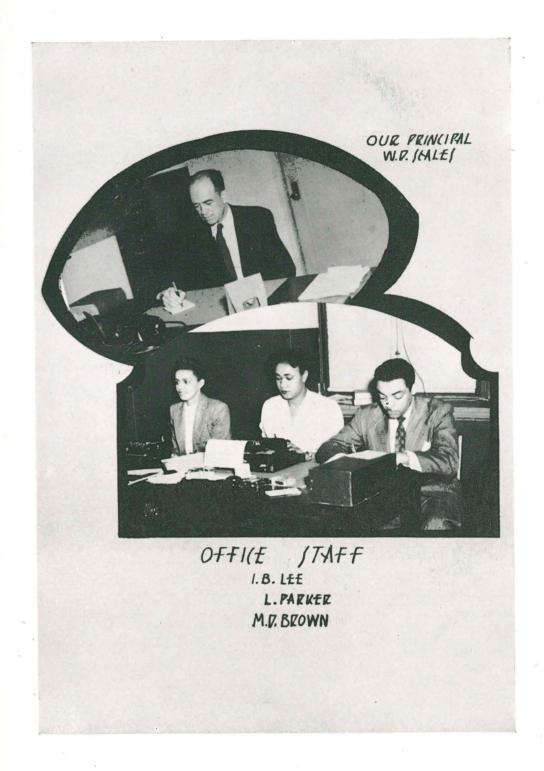
What final message is there then for me to give you at this time? We have made an effort here at Huntington to develop your thought life, to stimulate your ambition and self confidence, to assist you in the selection of some worthy vocation, and to establish within you socially acceptable ideals and patterns of conduct. Be not overly concerned about leaving high school, but find glory in the exploration of new fields of endeavor.

Your success is adequate compensation for whatever efforts we have expended in your preparation.

The commencement is really the beginning. It is like the prelude to a great symphony. I bid you go forth to eliminate the discordant that you may find the finer melodies of life.

We extend to you our most sincere good wishes. May your acceptance of increased responsibilities be crowned by the benediction of the Great Teacher.

W. D. SCALES











FEBRUARY GRADUATES

JUNE GRADUATES

Frank Anderson Edgar Armstead Christopher Bailey Daniel Bailey Harvey Braxton Aaron Brunson Willie Chatman James Christopher Alphonso Davis Charles Dillard Melvin Epps Jack Frances George Grady Wilbert Green Herman Harrison Billy Hargroves Bobby Hargroves James Hamlin Bobby Hill Hiawatha Iones William Jones Bernard Nichols Allen Pierce James Savage Eldridge Tabb Roger Watson Vernon Warren John Watkins Preston Walker Robert Vinson Nevada Ashe Marion Barnes Bertha Blair Dorothy Blount Mildred Brown Lillian Cottrell Beatrice Claude Ruth Denson Lottie Ford Portia Hamlin Shirley Hines Mary Hunter Evelyn Jones Martha Jones Francis Richardson Yomma Rylander Jean Scott Lila Seabron Jeanette Smith Starnell Spragon Gladys Simmons Carol Tucker Louise Tucker Ruth Walker Helena Williams Zenobia Williams

Orcilla Stewart

Arcelious Bailey Joseph Bell Thomas Binns Arthur Boone Clarence Braxton Taylor Carr Gladstone Chandler Thaddeus Chapman Bruce Cooper Benjamin Dale Louis Dotson Cornelius Gilchrist Harvey Green Willie Green Raymond Fultz Howard Haltiwanger Robert Hunter Thomas Jackson Gurney Jones Lawrence Iones James Kirby Herbert Melvin Lawrence Moore Tommy Overton Emanuel Parker Nathaniel Parker Algie Pitchford Preston Price James Prince Kenneth Rainey Charles Ricks William Rollins Andrew Short Clarence Threatt Alphonse Tyler Ellis Wakefield Ashby Warren Thornton White Scipio Wimberly James Futrell Jerome McIntyre Herman Williams Elizabeth Alexander Marion Allen Dorothy Askew Louise Ballard Lizzie Bell Dorothy Binns Mary Blount Corrine Bonds Julia Boone Dorothy Branch Alice Carter Delores Christopher Louvella Cottrell Mary Craddock Mary Crawley

Corrine Daniels Sallie DeBerry Eunice Diggs Josie Eason Gwendolyn Elam Ruth Gillespie Lillian Gilliam Naomi Godwin Lucy Graves Hattie Green Carrie Greenlee Marion Hall Catherine Hamlin Myrna Harris Mary Haskins Mary Hayes Patricia Hayes Mary Hicks Dorothy Howard Delores Hudson Doris Hundley Olivia Jackson Mary Jackson Elizabeth Jacobs Iva Jones Mary E. Jones Ruby Keyes Constine Knight Helen Lassiter Lillian Lane Vera Mack Thelma Manley Evelyn Moore Alberta McCoy Naomi McQueen Evelyn Moore Ophelia Outlaw Ruth Parker Magdalene Parks Virginia Pickett Barbara Ricks Queenie Turner Vivian Urguhart Lillian Walker Sarah Walker Gladys Wallace Irene Washington Ruth White Dorothy Williams Laryce Wrenn Elizabeth Hyman



Class Officer

Bobby Hill "Allegro"

President
Businessman
Choir; Math Club 47; Student Council.

Sallie DeBerry

Asst. Secretary
Tailor
Student Council 45, 46; Teen
Timers.

Elizabeth Alexander "Diddy"

Secretary
To be successful
Choir; Senior Deb Club.

Dorothy Elizabeth Askew

Treasurer Business Woman Choir '45, '48; Band '47.

Marion Allen

Teacher Band

Preston Leroy Price

Vice President Writer Football; Band; Track; President of Student Council; Atom Busters,



Edgar Lawrence Armstead "Eddie" To be successful

Catherine Bailey "Cat" Stenographer Seniorette Club



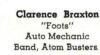


Marion Barnes "Butch" Choir



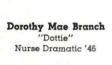


Daniel Bailey "Charlie Red" Musician Band '45, '48.



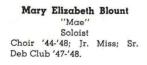


Corrine Bonds "Sister" Dress Designer



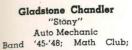


Julia Mae Boone "Luchless" Decorator Choir '44-'48; Drama '48; Senior Deb '47, '48.





Harvey Braxton "Brax" Auto Mechanic Band



"Chap"

Agron Brunson

"Bruny"

Bricklayer

Atom Busters.



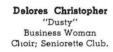
Mildred Lee Brown "Lil Mil" Tailor Drama '47.



Alice Louise Carter "Blimp" Dancer Band; Basketball; Teen Timers.



Emma Braxton "Titter" Nurse Choir



Beatrice Cloude

"Bea"

Housewife



Lillian Cottrell "Pudden" Tailor Choir; Teentimers; Basketball; Seniorettes.





James Christopher "Nick" Business Man Band



Ada Mae Cox "Mae" Stenographer Choir; Dramatics.

Charles Dillard "Dee" Architect Track; Football; Choir; Band.

Benjamin Dale

"Tank"

Contractor

Band; Track.

Ruth Denson

"Denny"

Basketball; Choir.

Mary Elizabeth Craddock "Mae" Teacher Basketball; Teen Timers.



Alphonso Davis "Phonnie" Live on the sunny side of the street. Football; Choir; Track; Drama.





Louis Dotson "Bubba" Lawyer Cheering Squad; Student Council.



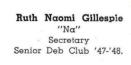


Naomi Alma Godwin Dietician Dramatics '46; Homemakers Club.





Lottie Elizabeth Ford "Susie Mae" Teacher Choir





Melvin Epps "Echo" Auto Mechanic Choir



Wilbert Green

"Red"

Musician

Band

James Hamlin

"Icebox"

Student Council

Band



Harvey Linkfield Green "Bay Boy" Electrician Football; Track; Band; Varsity Club.

Willie Winfred Green

"Bill"

Scientist

Band





Portia Hamlin "Por" Nurse



Nurse

Myra Frances Harris

"Pee Wee"

Doctor

Cheering Squad; Student Council; Choir; Teen Timers.



Mary Elizabeth Hicks "Lizzie" Nurse Choir; Drama '47.







Bobby Hargraves "Bob" Bricklayer

Patricia Jean Hayes "Pat" English Teacher Choir, Girl Reserves.

Shirley Hines "Lee" Social Worker

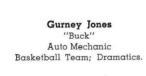
Delores Hudson "Lois" Teacher Choir

Mary Jackson "Jack" To be happy

Iva Omega Jones "Chicken" Teacher Dramatics

Mary Hunter "Mae" Nurse

Evelyn Jones "Eve" Teacher



Lillian Macon Late

"Butch"

Nurse

Band







Martha Jones

"Mart"

Nurse

Hellen Lassiter

"Fee Fee"

Nurse

Band, Drama

William Phillip Jones

"Babro"

Pharmacist

Dramatics; Choir; Science

Club.



Bernard Nichols "Nick" Doctor Band; Atom Busters; Student Council.

Evelyn Elaine Moore

Stenographer

Dramatics



Ngomi Christine McQueen "Pop Corn" Musician Band; Dramatics.





Jerome McIntyre To be successful

Thelma Manley

"Manley Girl"

Secretary

Ophelia Outlaw "Red" To be successful Choir

Algie Pitchford

Musician

Band; Choir; Student Council.



Nathaniel Parker "Nat" Contractor Football; Dramatics.

Tommy Randolph Overton

"Tom"

Industrial Arts

Band; Drama.

Virginia Lee Picket "Ninny" Artist Band



Allen McKnight Pierce
"Nuxie" Band; Track; Math Club.

James Prince

"Ike"

Engineer Football; Track.

Kenneth Rainey

"Fuzz"

Mathematician

Track

Louise Pulliman "Weasie" To be successful



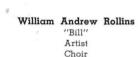


Barbara Ann Ricks Teacher Choir; Student Council.





Frances Richardson "Frankie" Teacher Library Club







Jeanette Ann Smith "Lanky" Social Worker Choir; Student Council; Dramatics.





Jean Scott "Jeanie" Nurse





James Savage "Savie" Physician Student Council



Helena Williams

"Len"

To succeed

Choir

Ruth White

"Ruthie"

Business Woman



Zenobia Williams "Zee" To succeed Choir





Herman Williams "Tinkle" To be successful Choir; Drama; Math Club

Sarah Lee Walker

Seamstress

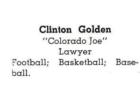
Choir; Girl Reserves.







Laryce Wrenn "Squirt" Choir Cheering Squad



Emanuel Parker

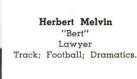
Hiawatha

Lawyer

Track; Football; Dramatics.







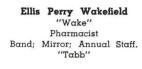




Thornton White "Thor" Mortician Band; Drum Major.

Starnell Spragon Housewife Student Council

Orcilla Gaynell Stewart Housewife Choir





Eldridge Tabb Tailor Band; Basketball Team.

Queenie Mae Turner "Sis" Secretary Choir, Senior Debs.

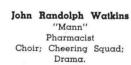


Carol Tucker "Carrie" Stenographer Choir

Vivian Urguhart "Vicky" Secretary Basketball Team '46.



Lillian Walker A Poet



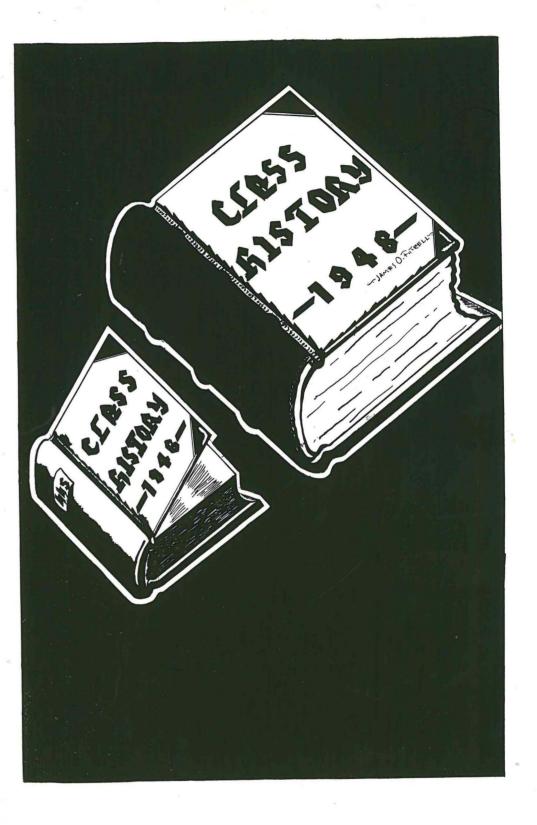


Vernon Warren "Ver" Actor Dramatics

Gladys Elizabeth Wallace "Be Hop" Nurse Choir; Science Club.



Irene Washington "Wash Board" Seamstress Girl Reserves



Class History

As, we, the class of 1948 look back upon our four years at "Dear Old Huntington," many happy and pleasant events stand out.

For instance, we can never forget the warm September morning in 1944 that approximately 100 youngsters from the elementary schools assembled in the gymnasium. We came, with fresh hopes and ambitions, eager to explore this new land of learning and opportunity. We found here an atmosphere of comradeship, fair play, goodwill and democratic participation which at first seemed strange but which we have come to know as the spirit of H. H. S.—the spirit on which our school world turns.

We were divided into three groups and placed in the homerooms of Mr. J. J. Ballou, Mr. N. C. Pleasant and Mrs. E. M. Greene. Under their competent guidance we were not long in becoming orientated to our new surroundings and in settling down to some serious study. In study and hard work the first year passed.

It was now our sophomore year and we began to feel more at home. Many of our classmates joined the various organizations. Julia Boone, Algie Pitchford, Mary Blount, Jean Smith, Lottie Ford and Mary Jones joined the choir. Preston Price, Marion Allen and Bernard Nichols, who had been taking instrumental music were selected for the first Band.

Our boys partic'pated in all the sports. On the track team were Preston Price, Alphonso Davis, Herbert Melvin. and Charles Dillard. Gurney Jones, Roger Watson, Andrew Short, Charles Ricks, and David Elam starred on the hardwood court. Our crowded schedule of activities and studies caused this second year to fairly fly and we were happy to be called Juniors.

This year we really got into the "swing of things." Most of the class engaged in several activities.

In the choir were Elizabeth Alexander, Carrie Greenlee, Corrine Bonds, Mary Haskins, Dorothy Askew, Lillian Cottrell, Ruth Parker, Gladys Wallace, Mary Hayes, Patricia Hayes, Gwendolyn Elam, Delores Christopher, Orcilla Stewart, Zenobia Williams, Ophelia Outlaw, Martha Jones, William Rollins, Alphonso Davis, Herman Williams, and Barbara Ricks.

In the Band were Naomi McQueen, Helen Lassiter, Algie Pitchford, Jean Scott, Daniel Bailey, Harvey Braxton, Benjamin Dale, Wilbert Green, James Prince, Eldridge Tabb, Lawrence Wallace, Ellis Wakefield, Thornton White, James Christopher, Lizzie Bell, and Virginia Pickett.

Band Major was Thornton White, and Majorettes were Marion Hall, Lillian Lane, Alice Carter and Josie Eason.

In the field of sports in addition to those

named above were Clinton Golden, Clarence Threatt, Christopher Bailey, and Willie Kelly.

Soon we organized our class selecting the following:

President Algie Pitchford
Vice President Jack Frances
Secretary Lottie Ford
Assistant Secretary Starnell Sparagon
Treasurer Charles Dillard

The prom we gave the seniors was an affair of beauty and enjoyment. Music was furnished by Dewitt Cooke's orcnestra.

At last the time came when we were Seniors. We elected for officers:

President Bobby Hill
Vice President Preston Price
Secretary Elizabeth Alexander
Asst. Secretary Sallie DeBerry
Treasurer Dorothy Askew

The main issue of the senior class meeting was the annual. Our rings were chosen by the R^i ng Committee.

Most of us were so excited that we could talk of nothing but our graduation. During the first of the senior year we gave socials to raise money for the various expenses.

Many of the veterans had returned to school and were now graduating in our class; among them were Jerome McIntre, George Grady, Robert Vinson, Linwood Rainey, Ashby Warren. These seniors were active during the school year and added much to the Choir, Football, Track Teams and Student Council. Vinson made one of the best presidents the Council has ever had.

During this last year Robert Hunter, Harvey Green and Clinton Golden joined their fellow squad members on the gridiron. Our basketball players remained the same as did our track team.

Closer and closer came the day when we were to march down the aisle to "Pomp and Circumstance." Our joy was tinged with sadness. We were happy that we had climbed this far on the educational ladder but sad that all too soon we were to leave.

We shall always be grateful to our parents for providing us with the opportunity to receive a high school education and to our teachers for the sympathetic understanding and patience they have shown us throughout our four years at Huntington.

We believe that the experience gained and the leadership developed here will be of decided advantage in the years to come.



We, the members of the class of 1948, being of sound mind (with no thanks to the faculty) and good health (thanks to Misses Taylor and Spratley and Messieurs Harris and Madden) declare this to be our last will and testament and do make the following special bequeaths.

To our Principal and Faculty Members, we leave our sincere thanks for their patience and counsel during our four years at Huntington High.

To the Juniors, we will the right to fill the places left vacant in school activities.

For the Sophomores, we bequeath a trunk containing records of all our scholastic, athletic and individual attainments to serve as an inspiration when the going gets "tough."

To the Freshmen, we give a large picture of us so they will always remember us and that they will be able to visualize themselves four years hence.

To the Eight Graders, we leave this bit of advice: Study hard so that one day you, too, will be graduated.

Magdalene Parks and Inez Simmons leave their excess weight to Thelma Johnson.

Portia Hamlin, Evelyn and Martha Jones, and Shirley Hines will their loyalty and school spirit to the eighth graders. Please support all school activities as we did.

John Watkins, Myra Harris, William Jones and Mary Hayes leave their megaphones to Catherine Bishop and Florence Hartwell so that they may be heard in class.

Dorothy Blount, Bertha Blair and Frances Richardson will their sophisticated manner to Estelle Norman and Ruth Ford.

Harvey Braxtion, James Christopher, Clarence Braxton, Virginia Pickett, Marion Allen and Wilbert Green leave their places in the Band to members of the Second Band with the hopes that they will soon be promoted and be as dependable as they were.

Jean Scott, James Prince, Bernard Nichols, and Willie Green leave their Band uniforms to four students in the first year instrumental music class. Try them on and work hard so that you may soon be able to wear them.

To Walter Harris goes Harvey Green's place in the 440.

Jerome McIntyre, Gladys Wallace, Winston Carr, Mary Jackson, Naomi Godwin, and Sarah Walker leave their dignified and quiet ways to LaVerne Williams. Sometimes, people should be seen and not heard.

Billy and Bobby Hargraves will their ability to confuse the teachers to Buena and Mildred Wright. May you grow more alike.

To Mary Williams and Margarte McGhee goes Starnell Spragons, Lillian Walker's, and Jean Smith's seriousness.

For Clyde Guinyard is Allan Pierce's, Taylor Carr's, Herbert Melvin's Clinton Golden's, and Delores Christopher's Title of "Class Bluffer."

James Futrell and William Rollins leave their positions as staff artists to their likely successor, Ernest Hill.

Bobby Hill leaves ten boxes of throat tablets and his position of class president to Murmon Clarkson. Hill says he found the tablets a necessity after a class meeting having had to talk over so much confusion. Better luck to you, Clarkson.

With sincere regrets Lottie Ford leaves James Perry. She asks the faculty members to take special care of him and try to keep him in school.

To sister Nancy, Mary Hunter leaves her good disposition.

Those high stepping majorettes, Lillian Lane, Marion Hall, and Alice Carter and Josie Eason leave their dexterity in twirling a baton to Irma Hartwell and Mary Foreman. Maybe some day they will learn to hold a baton.

Edgar Armstead and William Jones leave their skill on the dance floor to James Perdue.

Carol Tucker wills her love for her office position to Mattie Burnette. We hope your office work will not delay long your graduation.

Evelyn Moore, Layrce Wrenn, Delores Hudson, and Mamie Stewart, members of the Pals Club, will their ability to get along together to Jacqueline Hudson.

Vivian Urquhart, Lila Seabron, Catherine Bailey and Mary Craddock will their quiet disposition to those loud mouthed freshmen.

To the members of the Second Team go Nathaniel Parker, Charles Ricks' and Clarence Threatt's prowess on the gridiron.

Herman Williams has nothing to leave but his fond regrets at leaving Huntington because he is taking with him his most prized possession, Mary Hayes.

Zenobia Williams, and Orcilla Stewart leave their ability to dress and act like typical high school co-eds to Eloise Robinson.

Louise Pulliam, Helen Williams, Ruth Gillespie and Dorothy Branch will their seats in the assembly to anyone who has to sit on the bleachers.

Drum major Thornton White leaves his suit and baton to either Melvin or Rudolph Garland. The first one who calls gets the equipment.

Thelma Manley says that her most valuable possession, Issac Coles, has preceded her and she is really glad to catch up with him.

Irene Washington, Evelyn Nelson, Louvella Cottrell, Ruth Denson, and Barbara Ricks will their position on the hardwood to Evelyn Pickett and Ernestine Brown. We hope that some day you might find the basket.

Emma Braxton wills her exotic hair styles to her competitor Georgia Watkins.

Thaddeus Chapman wills his seat in Mr. Calloways' and Mr. Jones' English classes to Reginald Sheridan. He hopes you won't have to struggle as hard as he did.

To Margaret Cox goes Ruth White's ability to play the piano. Maybe Margaret can entertain someone besides herself.

Scipio Wimberly and Tommy Overton will their "pull" with the faculty members to Joel Louis. Maybe you won't get sent home so much.

Lillian Cottrell, Mary Jones and Ophelia Outlaw leave their places in the alto section to Ophelia Hatchett. Please Ophelia learn how to carry a tune.

Kenneth Rainey, the class pest, is happy to leave and retain his title. The faculty too is happy to see him go.

Benjamin Dale leaves his position as manager of the "Atom Busters" to Hubert Harris.

Vera Mack leaves some of her height to Nannette Seabron.

Dorothy Askew and Patricia Hayes will their ability to get to school on time every day for four years to Earl Blair who is tardy four days out of a week.

Nathaniel Parker leaves his position as Co-Captain of the football team to Jesse Reed.

As his successor to Arden Buckner's affection Charles Dillard names his brother Herbert. Take good care of her, Brother.

Gladstone Chandler leaves his high sounding vocabulary to Addison Gayles.

Aaron Brunston and James Savage leave their seats in the Library and their studious habits to Claude Butcher.

Elizabeth Alexander leaves to her sister, Christine Chambers, her title of "Miss Homecoming."

Iva Jones and Mary Haskins leave their string of "A's" under Mr. Jones to Mary Foreman. We hope they will help you to pass Mr. Jones' English.

Herman Williams leaves his ability to play the girls cool to Benjamin Woemack. Don't let every girl you see Ben, go to your head.

Louis Dotson bequeaths his ability to scale the ropes to John Allen.

Corrine Bonds and Julia Boone leave their absent excuses to Marion Brown.

At last, Gurney Jones is leaving to be with Emma Rainey. I know his many girl friends here are sorry to see him go.

Beatrice Cloude and Mildred Brown have nothing to leave but after being here four and a half years, they are glad to go.

Marion Barnes wills her position as assistant Librarian to any girl who thinks she can control those study groups.

Daniel Bailey, the great trumpeter, leaves his title to James Lassiter.

Now that Helen Lassiter is leaving Huntington it seems as if Gladys Williams will be able to have Addrell Davis' company in peace. Good luck, Gladys.

Roger Watson wills his position on the first string to George Brown. Don't fall down George.

Sallie DeBerry bequeaths her job, class secretary in 4 rooms, to her sister.

Senior Statistics

	Girls	Boys
Tallest	Starnell Spragon	William Rollins
Shortest	Elizabeth Jacobs	Tommy Overton
Best Dressed	Dorothy Askew	Gurney Jones
Typical High School Student	Orcilla Stewart	Gladstone Chandler
Most Ambitious	Martha Jones	Hiawatha Jones
Laziest	Nevada Ashe	Thomas Jackson
Most Industrious	Sallie DeBerry	Nathaniel Parker
Most Popular	Elizabeth Alexander	Algie Pitchford
Best Athelete	Mary Hayes	Preston Price
Most Comical	Thelma Johnson	John Watkins
Best Dancer	Alice Carter	Clarence Threatt
Friendliest	Jeanette Smith	Bernard Nichols
Most Promising	Myrna Harris	James Hamlin
Man Hater	Patricia Hayes	
Woman Hater		Arthur Boone
Giggler	Naomi McQueen	Edgar Armstead
Fattest	Ophelia Outlaw	William Moore
Most Streamline	Mary E. Jones	Clyde Guinyard
Class Filibuster	Delores Christopher	Taylor Carr
Bashful Students	Iva Jones	Howard Haltiwange
Best Singer	Mary Blount	Linwood Rainey
Class Poet	Lillian Walker	Ellis Wakefield
Class Artist	Virginia Pickett	Tames Futtrell



COACHES MEET AT HAMPTON INSTITUTE TO MAKE NEW RULE FOR SPORTS

Hampton, Va.

Meeting in a three day conference to discuss revision of Basketball and Football Rules are coaches from the nations leading Colleges. Presiding over the Conference is Coach Gurney Jones of West Va. State College and Roger Watson, Head Coach at Howard University, as secretary. Other speakers were David Elam, coach at Tennessee State College and Charles Ricks of Florida A. and M.

WAKEFIELD SIGNED TO PLAY WITH THE DODGERS

Ellis Wakefield has signed a contract to play third base with the Dodgers during the 1961 Season at a fabulous salary. Ellis has had a brillant record having played last season with the Chicago All Stars.

CHI-SOX SCORES UPSET FAVORED YANKS

In a hard played game the Chicago White Sox upset the New York Yankees yesterday by a score of 7 to 3 behind the surprisingly good pitching of Rookie southpaw, Andrew Short. Forty thousand fans saw the newly acquired hurler pitch seven scoreless innings and then quell a good rally in the ninth. A deciding factor was the long home run in the fifth inning by Arcelious Bailey with the bases loaded.

GRID YANKS PICKED TO REPEAT AS CHAMPS

The New York Yankees, National Professional football Champs, of last year have been picked by the experts to repeat their former success. With the opening of the season only two days away the Yankees seem to have a real power laden team better than last year. Clinton Golden, former All-American from U.C.L.A., and fleet footed Preston Price, two year All-American halfback from Columbia have been signed to play. With the Yanks will be halfback Herbert Melvin who was sidelined with a back ailment last year and end Charles Dillard who was injured in the decisive game.

ARTHUR BOONE WINS NATIONAL SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

Before a record crowd of three thousand fans, Arthur Boone, twice strong contender for the crown, won the National Tennis Men's Single Championship and thus gained a strong bid for the Davis Cup Matches next month. In a series of well played matches Boone defeated defending champion 6 to 3, 6 to 4, and 6 to 1.

RECEIVES DEGREES FROM HOWARD UNIVERSITY

September 1, 1961 Miss Elizabeth Alexander, former English teacher at Huntington High School, has received her Ph.D. from Howard University. Miss Alexander will resume her teaching at Hampton Institute where she will head the English Department.

CHOIR AND BAND RECEIVE SUPERIOR RATING AT STATE MUSIC FESTIVAL

Petersburg, Va.

Continuing the standard set by former Directors Ballou and Frazer, the H. H. S. Choir and Band again won superior rating at the State Music Festival. The Choir sang several arrangements by M. T. Fraser and the Band won a tremendous ovation when it performed two difficult movements from Ballou's Symphony in C. Minor. Directing the groups were Miss Mary Blount and Mr. Bernard Nichols.

WILLIAMS JOINS SUFFOLK HERALD AS ADVERTISING MANAGER

Herman Williams has accepted the post of Advertising Manager of the Suffolk Herald and Guide. Williams comes to the Herald with a background of experience having served as Bus. and Adv. Manager of his school paper and yearbook, college paper and on the P.V.

CARTER-COTTRELL DANCE TEAM TO APPEAR AT OGDEN HALL

Hampton, Va.

Misses Alice Carter and Louvella Cottrell, the famous creative dance team, will appear at Ogden Hall May 21, 1961. The dancers will perform a new number entitled "Saber Dance." Furnishing music will be Daniel Bailey and his "Tuneless Tunes". Members of Baileys' group are: Marion Allen, Algie Pitchford, and Jean Scott.

JONES AND WATKINS OPEN PHARMACY ON 39TH STREET HIGHWAY

One of the best and most modern equipped pharmacies in the State of Virginia was opened today by two local young men. Besides Drs. Wm. Jones and John Watkins registered pharmacist, the staff includes Billy and Bobby Hargraves, cashiers. James Savage, Manager, and Jack Francis, Soda Fountain "Jerker."

3RD ANNUAL CONVENTION OF HUNTINGTON HIGH ALUMNAE NURSES ASSN. HELD IN BOSTON

Boston May 1, 1961

The 3rd Annual Convention of the Huntington Alumna Nurses Assn. will be held in the Blue Room of the Hotel Stanley, Sunday Oct. 7, at 3 p.m. Mrs. Vivian Urquhart Dennis, Supt. of Nurses at Boston General Hospital, will give the opening address "Better Living Means Better Health." Nurses attending the convention were: Miss Ruth Walker head nurse at Johnson Memorial Hospital, Baltimore; Misses Bertha Blair and Inez Simmons both of Reed Municipal Hospital, Los Angeles; and Miss Carol Tucker, head Nurse at Childrens Hospital, Miami, Fla.

JAMES CHRISTOPHER THRILLS AUDIENCE AT CARNEGIE HALL

New York, April 10, 1961

In his initial appearance at Carnegie Hall, James Christopher and his celebrated band presented a superb concert last night. Among the numbers especially well received and rendered was "African Saber" written by Christopher. Among the thousands who attended the concert were Mrs. Thomas Fallen-Nee Jeannette Smith—Prof. of Sociology at Columbia and Misses Martha Jones Supt. of Nurses at Bell Hospital.

CELEBRATED AMERICAN ARTIST ON STAFF AT UNIVERSITE DE PARIS

Paris, France

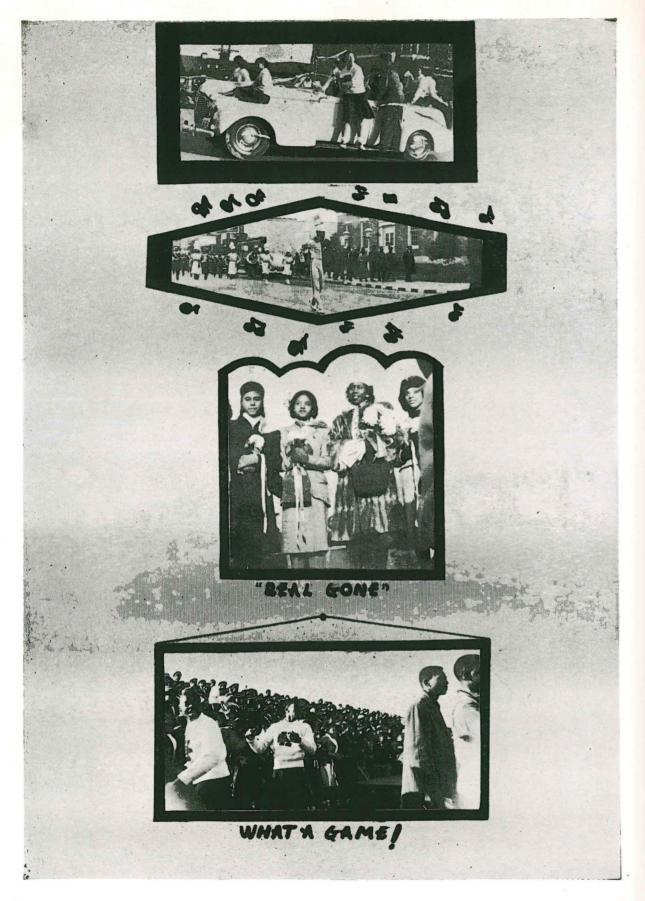
Messieurs Raymond Fultz, James Futtrell and William Rollins are conducting a six weeks seminar on American Art at the Universite.

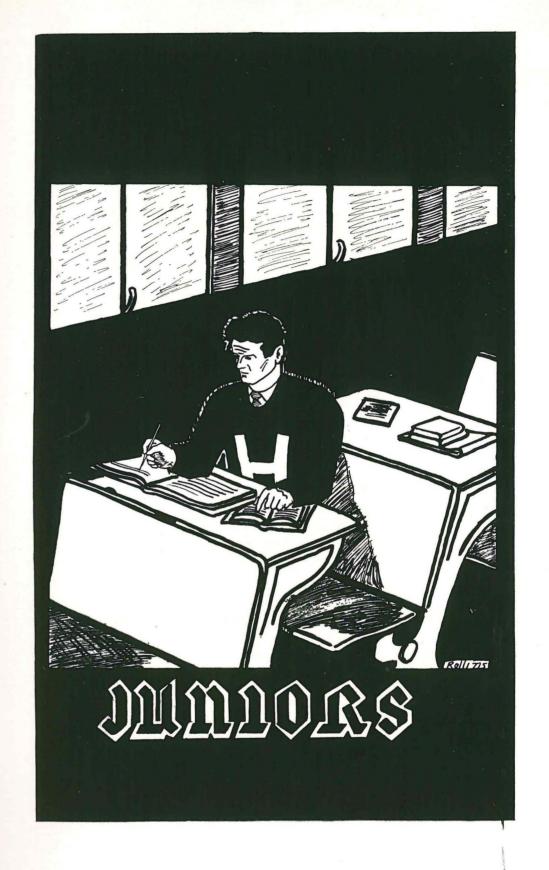
Newport News, Va.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Vinson are visiting Mrs. Vinsons parents, the Elams on 29th Street. Dr. Vinson is leaving his position on Howards Medical School Staff to begin private practice in Newport News. He will also be the staff at Whittaker Memorial with Dr. Willie Green. Dr. Green has just won the Nobel Prize having discovered a new vitamin, G3.

SUMMER SHOWING HELD AT HOTEL COSMO

Modeling some of their own creations were Misses Lillian Cottrell and Corrine Bonds, Sarah Walker and Naomi Godwin, at the Summer Style Show held in the Crystal Ball Room of the Hotel Cosmo. The show was held for the benefit of the new Y.W.C.A. of which Miss Iva Jones is Executive Sec. and Josie Eason, Assistant. Hair styles were arranged by Beauticians Mary Craddock, Dorothy Blount and Beau Cloude.







Class of 1949





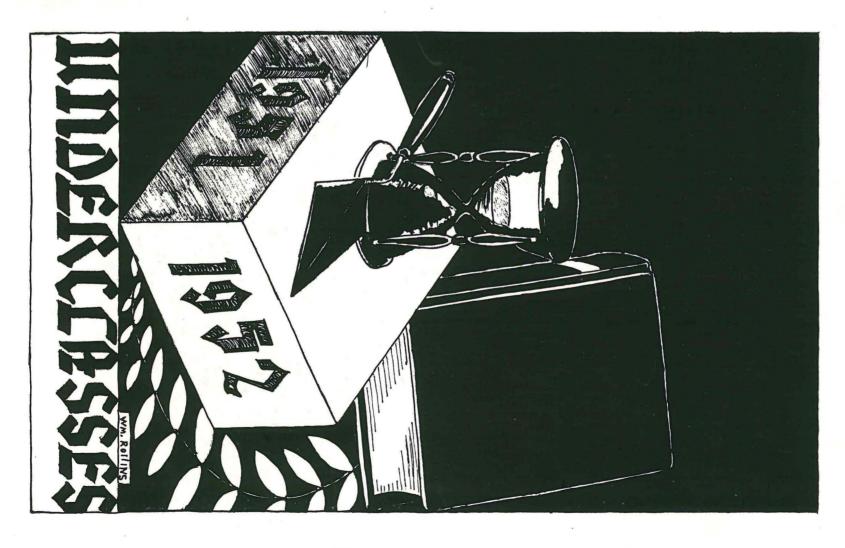
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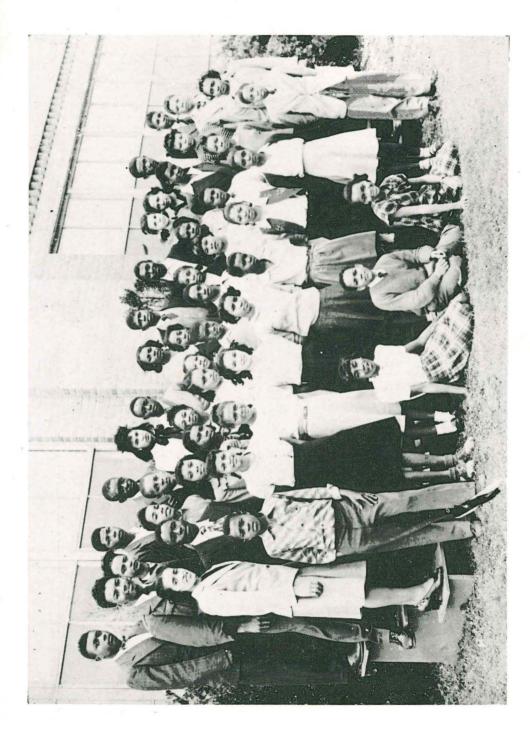


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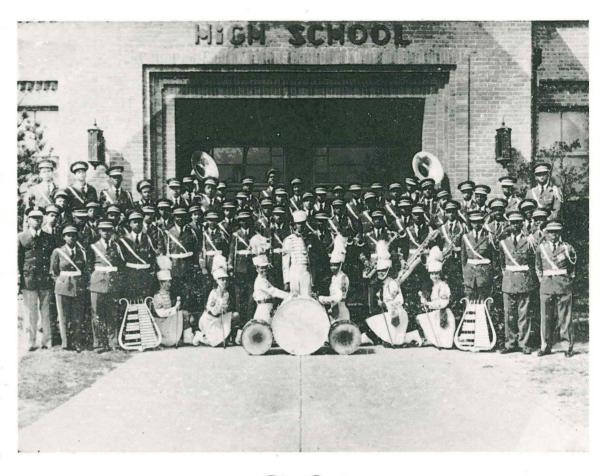


Student Council

The organization composed of 37 members is one of the most powerful groups in the school. The council meets every Tuesday after school to discuss the problems pertaining to the school and the student body.

Officers

President	Preston Price
Vice President	Mamie LaCott
Secretary	Christine Chambers
Asst. Secretary	Ernestine Brown
Treasurer	Audry Diggs



The Band

Huntington High School is very proud of its sixty piece Band directed by Mr. J. J. Ballou. This organization which has performed brilliantly this season received at the State Music Festival and the Eastern District Regional a superior rating. In drilling competition it placed first.

Office

President	Pernard Nichols
Vice President	Algie Pitchford
Secretary	Alice Carter
Asst. Secretary Gl	adstone Chandler
Treasurer	Harvey Braxton

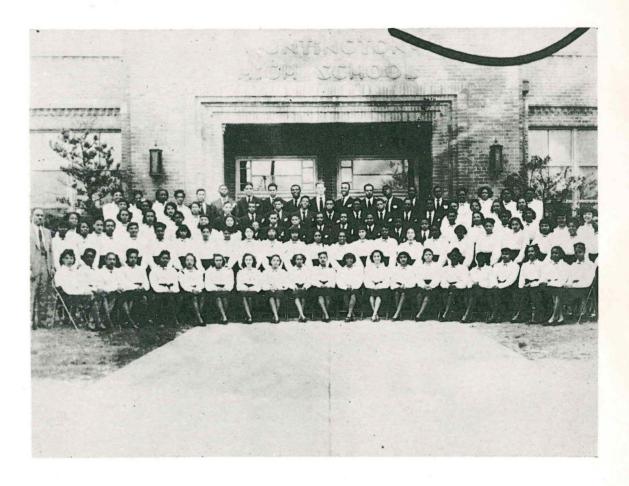


Che Math Club

The purpose of the Pythagorean Math Club is to stimulate an interest in mathematics and to aid the members in solving math problems.

Officers	
President	Arthur Braxton
Vice President	Bobby Smith
Secretary	Yvonne Dudley
Asst. Secretary	Barbara J. Smith
Treasurer	Ernestine Butts

Sponsor Miss M. A. Waikins



Che Choir

Repeating the success of former years, the Choir again received at the Regional and State Music Festival a rating of superior. This group directed by Mr. M. T. Frasyr, has filled many engagements in the local community and throughout the state of Virginia.

Officers

President	Charles Dillard
Vice President	Robert Vinsor
Secretary	Jean Smith
Asst. Secretary	Mary Hayes
Treasurer	Dorothy Askew



Science Club

Under the supervision of the Science Committee, the Science Club was organized to instruct its members in outstanding projects.

Officers

President	Herbert Dillar
Vice President	Hiawatha Jone
Secretary	Mary Haye
Asst. Secretary	Dorothy Underwoo
	William Butt

Miss I. B. Perry Mr. H. L. Hines Faculty Advisors Mr. A. M. Stitt Mr. T. Rollins

Mr. R. C. Yancey, Jr. Mr. C. H. Johnson



New Homemakers Club

The New Homemakers of America is composed of girls enrolled in the Home Economics classes. This club is a national organization and its purpose is to promote worthy home membership. The creed is "Better Homes For A Better Nation."

Sponsors of the club are the home economics teachers.

Officers

President	Sara Walker
Vice President	Christine Walker
Secretary	Burletta Cook
Asst. Secretary	Dorothy Howard
Treasurer	Geraldine Hobbs



Hobby Club

A group of hobby enthusiasts met and formed what is known as the Huntington High School Hobby Club. This club under the sponsorship of the teachers of the Vocational Department, has for its purpose to promote leisure time interest in handicrafts and other student hobbies.

Officers

President	Fred	Austi
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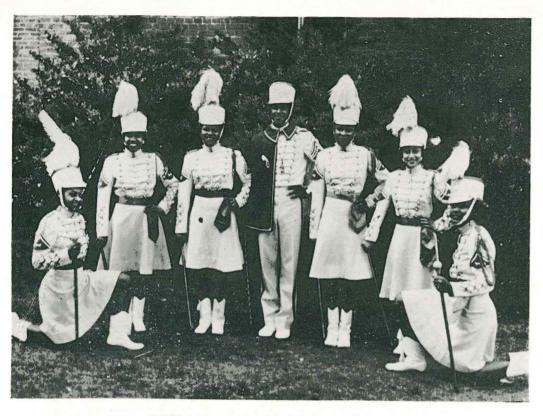


Mirror Staff

Our school paper, The Huntington Mirror, is a monthly production containing school and local news that is of interest to the student body.

The Staff

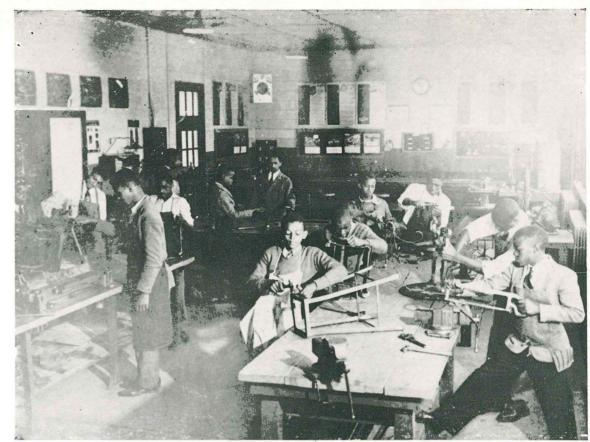
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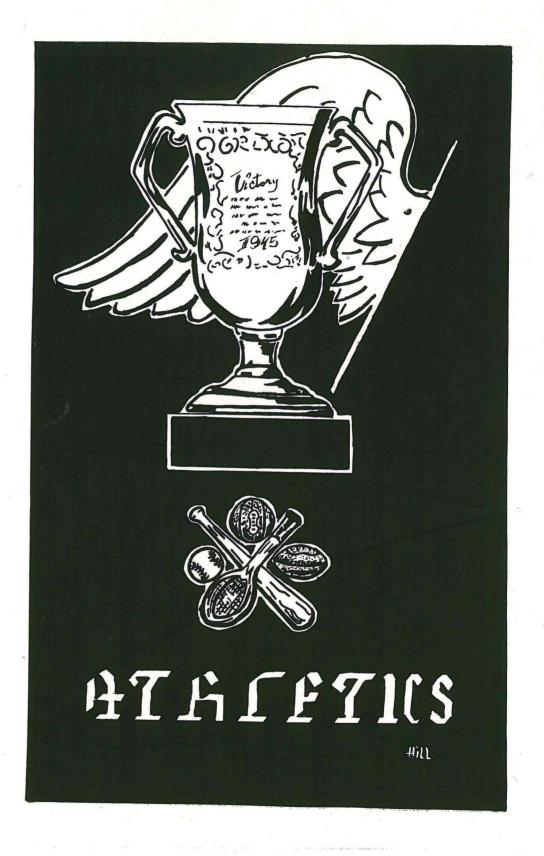
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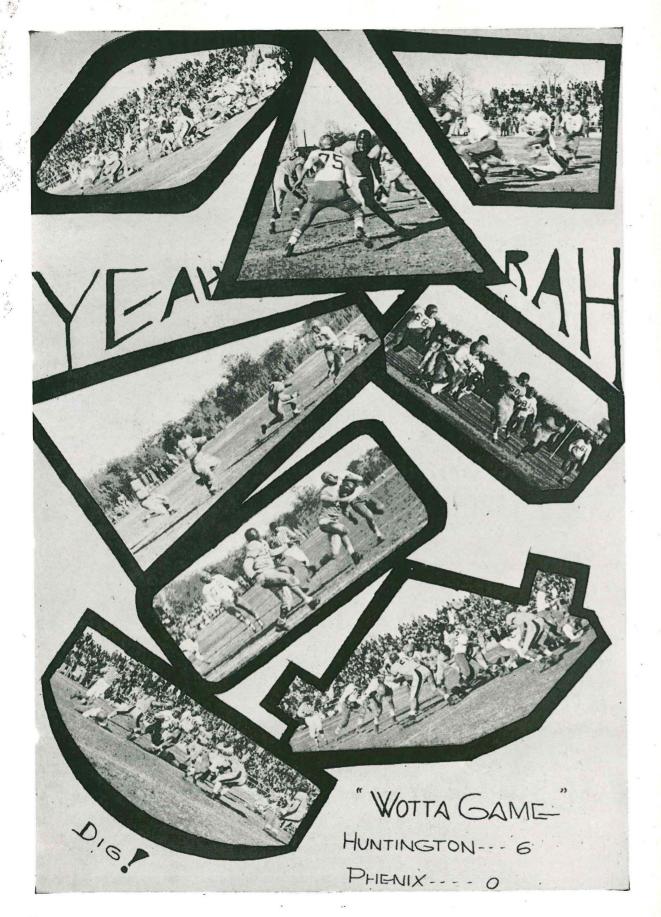


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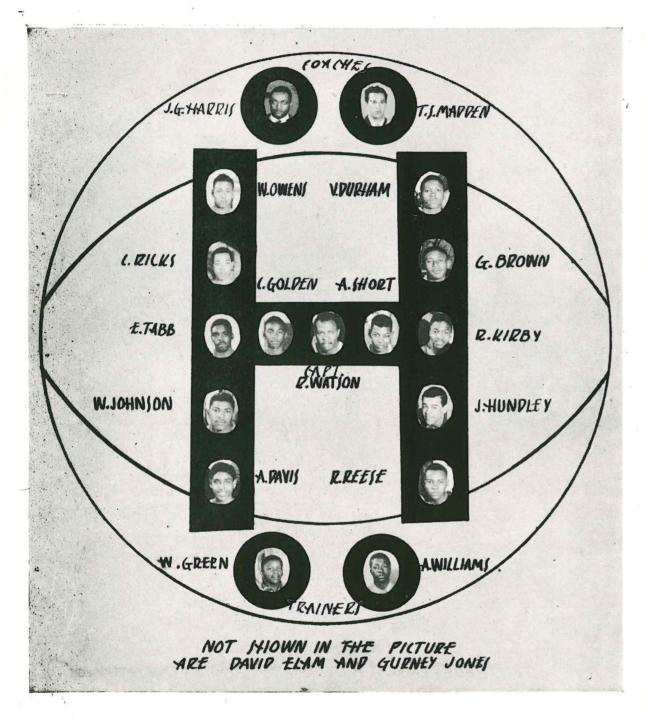


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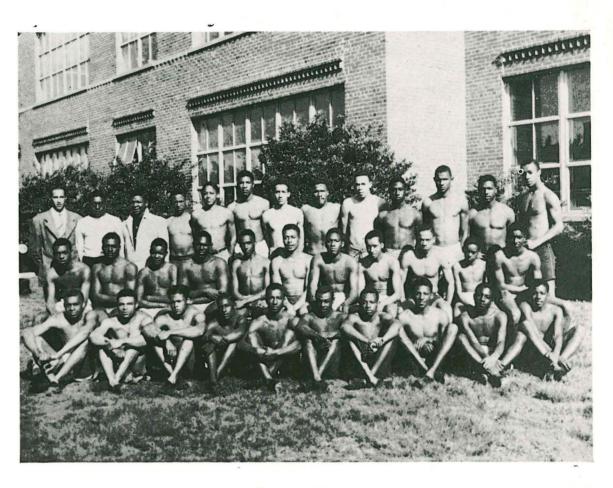
The Huntington High School Viking Football Team under the direction of T. S. Madden and J. G. Harris had a record of five victories, three ties and one defeat for the 1947 season. The Viking's winning streak of 32 victories without a defeat was broken by Booker T. Washington High School of Norfolk, The outstanding players were: John Clarkson, who was selected on the "All State Team"; Nathaniel Parker, Preston Price, James Harris and Charles Dillard.

The following are the scores for the 1947 Football season:

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1948 Vikings--Basketball Ceam



Crack Ceam

The Huntington High School Track Team coached by T. S. Madden had its best team in the history of the school. Besides winning dual meets over Phenix High School, Langley Field and copping the Eastern District championship meet; the Viking Harriers won the C. I.-A. A. Scholastic Championship.

Outstanding Track men were: Walter Harris, Preston Price, Lloyd Eason, James Harris, Charles Dillard, Welford Johnson and Herbert Melvin.



Baseball

The Huntington High School Baseball Team under the direction of J. G. Harris won four games and lost three during the regular season.

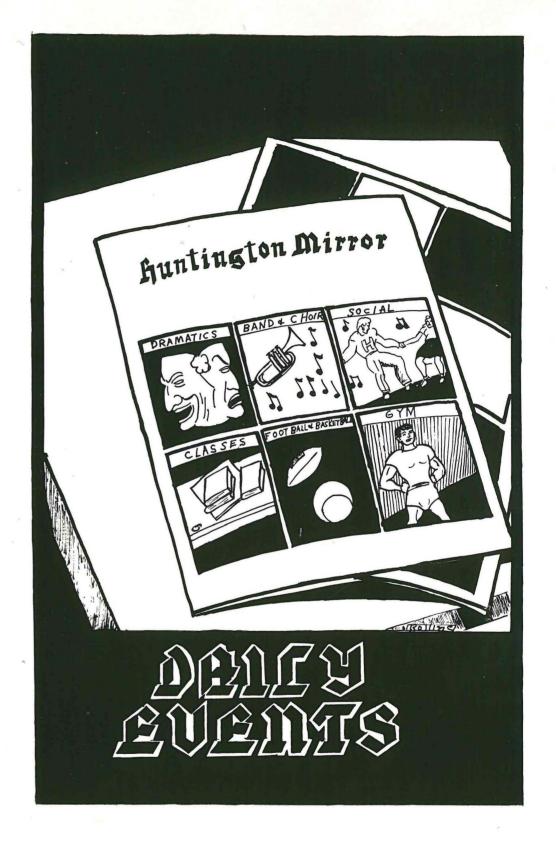
Outstanding players on the Viking nine were: Andrew Short, Vann Durham, Guerney Jones, Welford Johnson, Ellis Wakefield, and James Gregory,

Basketball

The Huntington High Viking Basketball Team had a successful 1948 season. They won the Eastern District Basketball Championship, defeating Booker T. Washington of Norfolk in the final. They went to the semi-finals in the State Championship play off. Outstanding players were: Roger Watson, Welford Johnson, David Elam, and Guerney Jones.

The following are the scores for the 1948 Basketball season:

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MaggieWalker		32	"		37
Bruton Heights		54	"	(37
B. T., Rocky Mount		50	"		33
R. L. Vann		51	"		42
Dunbar		47	"	(39
Phenix		40	π	1	20
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Bruton Heights		58	"		44
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- September 4—School opened today with the largest enrollment the school has ever had. We're well over the 900 mark. As a matter of fact it seems that we've outgrown our quarters.
- September 5—Students ran through their new schedules. Not too many conflicts were evident. Eight new teachers were introduced to the student body.
- September 8 Schedule adjustments were made today and work began in earnest.
- September 9—Hot Lunch program started. You can get a well-balanced meal for 20 cents. My! but it's hot (the weather).
- September 10—More than 40 boys had their first workout on the gridiron.
- September 16—We had a home room period at which time we elected class officers and student council representatives.
- September 18—Seniors elected Bobby Hill president and voted to publish a year book.
- October 2—Football squad presented to the student body. Pep rally followed.
- October 3—Vikings held Va. State "B" Team 0-0.
- October 3—Fire Prevention Week. We had several fire drills and the Science Classes instructed by Mr. Stitt and Mr. Rollins presented in the assembly a play entitled "Child of Fire."
- October 8—Meetings! Meetings! Meetings! Special guest. We are being evaluated.
- October 10—Everybody's excited. Today we play Armstrong.
- October 17—No school—a holiday—Teachers all had to go to Richmond to State Teachers Meetings.
- October 24—Robert Vinson and Preston Price named editors-in-chief of the 1948 Hunting-stonian.
- October 29—The Hobby Club was formed today.
- October 31—Several new clubs were organized —Pythagoreans, —Science and Homemakers Club.

- November 5—Students got a forecast of the Opera—"Madame Butterfly." Students from Hampton Institute played records and told the story of the opera.
- November 12—American Education Week—Play entitled "Beachhead for Freedom" was given in the assembly by the English 3 Classes—Miss L. K. Frazier, director.
- November 14—No school. Teachers attended the District Teachers meeting in Hampton.
- November 19—\$29 reported in the Jr. Red Cross Drive.
- November 20—Sad faces around Huntington Booker T trampled us 7-0.
- November 24—Elizabeth Alexander was chosen Miss Homecoming. Her attendants will be Mamie Stewart, Valada Evans, and Venetta White.
- November 27—Boy! Oh Boy! What delicious food at the Thanksgiving dinners.
- November 29—What a mob of people turned out to the Phenix-Huntington $G \alpha m e$. The Crowd has gotten so huge that the game must be played on Armstrong Field.
- December 6—Homecoming Parade. We had a beautiful day, a lovely parade, a pretty coronation and an exciting game. What more could we ask?
- December 13—Coach Harris issued a call for basketball players today. Many boys come out for practice.
- December 15—Choir broadcast a Xmas. program over WGH.
- December 17—Choir gave a beautiful Xmas. program. It told the story of the Nativity in song and words. Robert Vinson was the narrator.
- December 19—Today we had our group Xmas. parties and exchanged gifts.
- December 26—Dance Band went to Fredericksburg to play for Teen Agers Xmas. Dance at the Canteen.

- January 1—Happy New Year.
- January 5-School resumed today.
- January 9—Ninety-five persons attended a banquet honoring the 1947 Football Team.
- January 20—Robert Rachell (Ventriloquist) appeared in the assembly today.
- January 24—Music Clinic was held at Phenix today.
- January 26—Exams started this week. Students are out one-half day.
- January 28—Senior assembly today. 60 students meet requirements for February finals.
- January 30—First semester ended today.
- February 2—Second semester begins. Several courses added to semester.
- February 4—A marionette show—Hansel and Gretel. We certainly enjoyed it.
- February 5—Huntington defeated Dunbar High.
- February 11—Price succeeds Vinson as Student Council President.
- February 26—Mrs. O. Kelly spoke on Finer Womanhood. Program sponsored by the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority.
- March 4—District Basketball Tournament held at Booker T. Washington—Norfolk.
- March 10-Faculty had a party.
- March 11—Pupils from Va. State School gave an enjoyable program.
- March 16—Band from Morrison Hi entertained Band Boosters Club. Social afterwards.
- March 18—Rudolph Garland won Elks local oratorical contest. He received \$10. Jean Smith received 2nd place \$7.00.
- March 20 Eastern Regional Music Festival held at Hampton.
- March 24—Freshman presented an impressive Easter play "Shadow at the Cross."
- April 6—Standing room only at the Band and Choir Annual Concert. Community Choir made its debut.

- April 7—Local drug stores awarded prizes for the best Health Posters. Posters galore decorated the aym.
- April 10—Five Greyhound buses take students to Petersburg to State Music Festival.
- April 14—Alpha Phi Alpha gave citizenship program in assembly.
- April 16 Family Choir presented by Band Boosters Club at Recreational Center.
- April 16—2nd Presentation of Jane Eyre. This time at Booker T. Excellent performance.
- April 16-17—Many students attend Science and Math Conference.
- April 21—Boys received Athletic Awards.
- April 23 A crowded house enjoys Varsity Show.
- May 5—National Music Week Celebrations are held in the school.
- May 7—Seniors go to Vocational Guidance Conference at Hampton.
- May 15—Speakers are hard at work on their Commencement addresses.
- May 19—Campaign speeches are heard in the assembly.
- May 26—Student Council Officers installed today.
- May 30—The Juniors gave the Seniors a beautiful prom. All enjoyed it.
- June 2—Exams started today. The end is drawing very near.
- June 3—Didn't we have fun at the Class Night Exercises?
- June 6—Today we had our Baccalaureate Services.
- June 7—Seniors distributed gifts at the Senior Assembly.
- June 8—Goodbye. Pleasant Summer. —Commencement.





Couldn't See It

Speed Cop: Questioning truck driver whose sudden impulse to stop has caused an accident. "Why didn't you give a hand signal before stopping?"

Driver: "How'd you expect him to see my hand if he couldn't see this big truck?"

Go Right Ahead

G.C. to P.H.: "May I have this dance?" P.H. to G.C.: "Of course, if you can find a partner."

The Whole Thing Clerk: "This pony will do half your work." Tinkle: "I'll take two please."

Quiet

Miss Harvey: "Myrna define manners." Myrna: "They are the noises you don't keep while eating soup."

In The Drink
Boy: "Mother there's a fly in my soup."
Mother: "Don't worry he can't drink much."

Can't Be Still

Student: Speaking to Miss Harvey in Home Ec. class after being served jelly for the first time, "Please serve me another bowl of that trembling soup."

Math Teacher Telephones
"Operator, please give me eleven times thirtyone minus six, divided by five, add to twice
the original number and make it snappy."

The End
Mr. Calloway: "What did Paul Revere say
at the end of his famous ride?"
Tommy: "WHOA!!! HORSE!"

The Other Please

Receptionist: "Sir, there's a man at the door with a wooden leg named Smith."
Mr. Dillard: "And what's the name of the

other leg?"

Too Much So

A druggist left the following note to an employee: "Please clean the store thoroughly."

Burgulars found the note and followed directions to a "T".

How Long

Price: "Today is an important day, but I just can't think what it is."

Jones: "I know, it's the third anniversary of that fifteen cents you owe me."

Hungry

Mr. Harris: "Give an example of appetite." Wakefield: "When I eat I'm 'appy' and when I'm through I'm 'tite'."

They Vary Too
Teacher: "Heat causes a thing to expand—
Cold causes it to contract. Give an example."
Watkins: "In summer days are long—In winter days are short."

Successfully Too
"So your son is in college. How is he making it?"
"He isn't making it. I'm making it and he's

spending it."

Small Size
Teacher: "When the big fellows box they
wrar trunks."

Student: "Do the little fellows wear suit-cases?"

Hot Seat Mr. Hines: "Name an electrical device for heating?" Futrell: "Electric Chair."

Super Natural Cat: "Having nine lives I die nine times." Frog: "So what? I croak every minute."

New Look
Father: "How are your marks this period?"
Son: "Just like the new look."
Father: "How so?"
Son: "Below 'C' level."

That's What It is

Joe: "Why man, why?"

Moe: "Because."
Joe: "Thanks man."

Moe: "Yeah. Yeah man, okay."

Wrong Idea

Father: "I got a note from your teacher today, Johnny."

Johnny: "That's alright, pop, I wont squeal."

Left Over

Sallie: "Last night I dreamed I walked down Chestnut Ave. with nothing but my hat." Pat: "I'll bet you were embarrassed." Sallie: "You bet, it was last year's hat."

Oh Yes I can

Mr. Madden: "Braxton, are you blind? How far can you see any way?"

Braxton: "I can see the sun and it is 93 million miles away."

Brrrrrr Cold!

Mr. Rainey: "It's so cold in North Dakota that oftentimes it's 75 below zero."

Class Looks on In Amazement.

Elizabeth Hyman: "Well in that case they have to put fires under the cows so as not to milk ice cream."

Mrs. Olson: Did your school play have a happy ending?

Billy: Especially for the audience. They wer glad it was over.

Lady: How many times do you shave every day?

Man: Oh, forty or fifty times. Lady: Why, you must be crazy. Man: No. Ma'am. I'm a barber. A man went into a restaurant and ordered the following: "Three helpings of soup, eight steaks, five cups of coffee and five helpings of ice cream."

"Is that all?" asked the waiter.

"Certainly," said the man. "What do you think I am, a pig?"

Dick: What time is it when the clock strikes 13?

Bob: Don't know.

Dick: Time to get the clock fixed.

A man was speeding along the road, going at a great rate of speed. A state trooper caught up with him and made him pull over to the side. "Why were you going so fast, bud?"

"Well," said the driver, "my brakes are bad and I was hurrying home before I had an accident."

Jane: I guess you've heard the one about the roof?

Ben: No, can't say that I have.

Jane: Oh well, it's over your head anyway.

Neighbor: What are you doing out of the house? I thought you were having a piano lesson with your brother.

Willie: I was and we played a duet. I finished my part first.

Mary Jane: My sister takes up Italian, French, Spanish and English.

Janet: My, she must be very smart.

Mary Jane: Not particularly. She's an elevator operator.

Maw: Have you taken your bath yet?

Paw: Yep Maw.

Maw: Did you scrub clean, Paw?

Paw: Yep, an' I even found that union suit I've been lookin' fer.

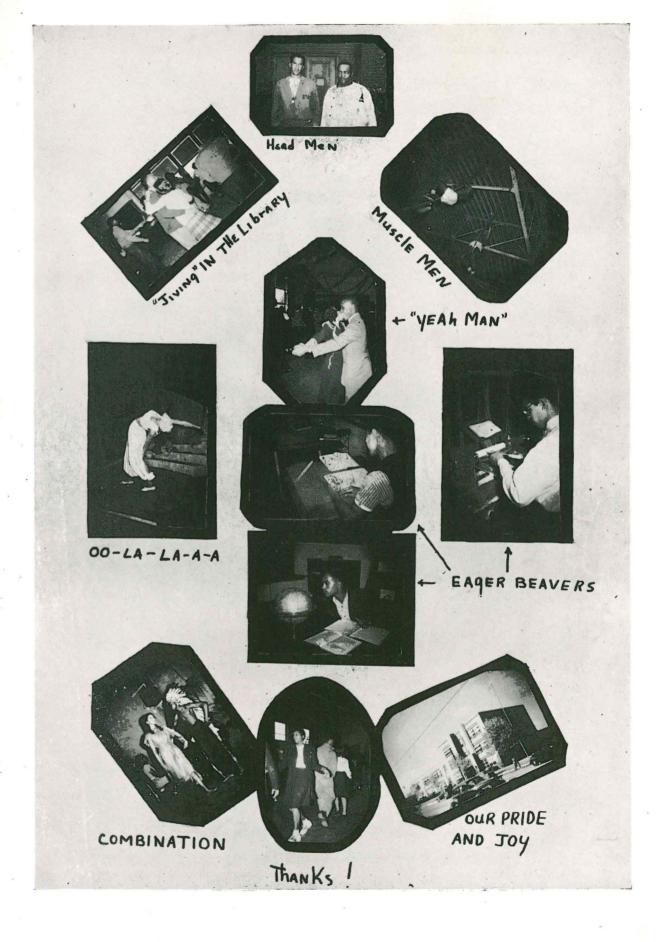


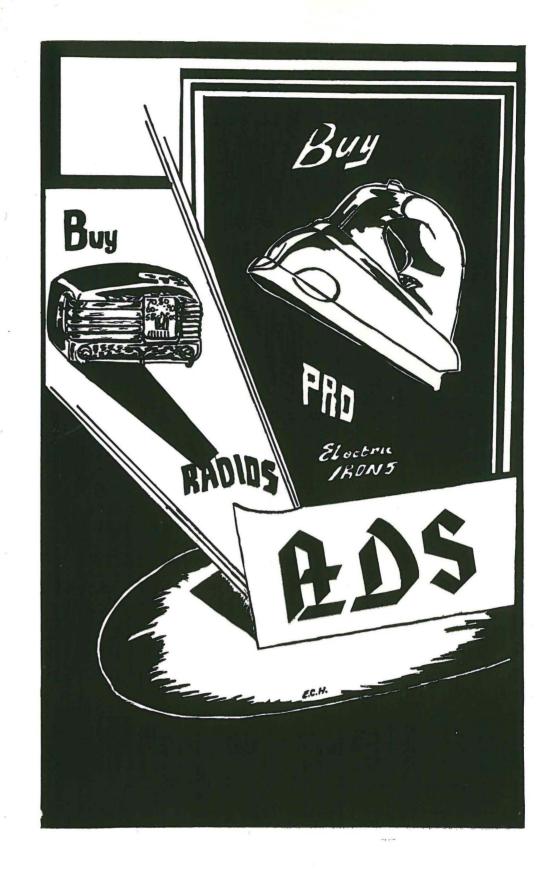
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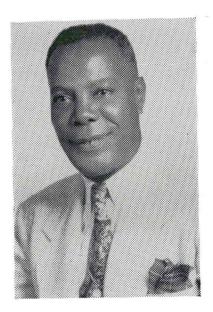
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